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C O N F I D E N T I A L BANGKOK 10284

EE.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MILI, TH, CB

SUBJECT: TRANSSHIPPING USAID TRUCKS THROUGH THAILAND

REF: PHNOM PENH 8464

1. WE BELIEVE THE MOST EXPEDITIOUS MANNER TO HANDLE THE TRANSSHIPMENT REQUIREMENT IN REFERENCE MESSAGE IS TO USE THE PORT OF SATTAHIP. PORT OF TRAT HAS NOT BEEN USED FOR USG SHIPMENTS AND ROAD NET FROM TRAT DOES NOT ALLOW ANY SAVING OF MILEAGE WHILE THESE TRUCKS TRANSIT THAILAND. ALSO, RTG AUTHORITIES AT SATTAHIP ARE FAMILIAR WITH CUSTOM CLEARANCES PLUS THIS PORT HAS AMPLE OFF-LOADING FACILITIES, POL SUPPORT, AND MAINTENANCE CAPABILITY TO FACILITATE THIS MOVEMENT.

2. WE DO NOT ANTICIPATE ANY PROBLEMS WITH RTG IN CLEARING THIS SHIPMENT, WE WILL HANDLE IT AS ROUTINE DOD-SONSORED MOVEMENT. REQUEST PHNOM PENH IDENTIFY TENTATIVE DATES FOR MOVEMENT AND ADDRESS THE PROBLEM OF DRIVERS. WILL THEY BE KHMER DRIVERS? IS SO, THEY MUST HAVE PASSPORTS AND VISAS TO TRAVEL THROUGH THAILAND. OR WILL DRIVER REQUIREMENT BE PLACED ON US MISSION THAILAND TO OBTAIN LOCAL NATIONALS?

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